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RESPONSE TO NOTICE OF NON-COMPLIANT AMENDMENT

This amendment is responsive to the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment mailed September 7, 2007. The Amendment filed on August 30, 2007 was considered noncompliant because it failed to meet the requirements of 37 CFR 1.121. Specifically, the listing of claims did not include the text of all pending claims, including the withdrawn claims.

Applicants submit herewith the corrected listing of all of the claims, including the withdrawn claims, with the full text.

No fee is included with this paper. In the event that a fee is required for entry of this paper, the Commissioner is authorized to charge our Deposit Account 06-0029 and is requested to notify us of the same.

This Amendment includes:

- 1. Amendments to the Claims (pp. 2-8); and
- 2. Remarks and Conclusions (pp. 9-11).